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revenue sharing with the amendments are before us, but I can't say specifically.

SENATOR PROUD: Well what I am getting at Senator is that whether it is revenue sharing or whether it is not, none of us here I believe know the over all picture with the possible exception of the budget committee and I'm not picking out prison reform because actually I favor some type of prison reform, but I think I like to know what I'm doing in the over all spending procedure and would you agree with me that certainly the membership other than the budget committee does not thoroughly know what we are spending over all and that there is no plan at all the way we are spending money here this afternoon. Do you think that is generally a true statement?

SENATOR MARVEL: I think it is a true statement, but there are those who are sincerely interested in amendments and this is the way, as you well know, this is the way we have proceeded at times in the past and I think it is safe to say that it is difficult for any individual member of the legislature at this moment to know what kind of commitments are being made. Yes sir.

SENATOR PROUD: Yes I agree, but it also seems to me that it is the duty of the appropriations committee and I cast no reflection upon you, but it is the duty of the appropriations committee to advise us in each one of these matters. Now even though you have already said, the budget committee is opposed to most of these spending measures being proposed by individual Senators, don't you think it is advisable to let us know how this affects the over all spending procedure and what the raise in taxes will be etc.

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes sir, and I think as soon as the, you see the problem with appropriations and in especially in the area of capitol construction at the moment, is that it is difficult first of all, I don't have copies to the amendments. Secondly, I think by tomorrow we can give an answer to your question which may not be soon enough. But as soon as we gather together all the amendments then I think we can give you an answer because part of the, part of the answer to the question depends upon how much of this has an impact this next year. How much has an impact the following year and so

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